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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Hinchliffe

Examiner:

Rodriguez

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For:

DOUBLE BALLOON THROMBECTOMY CATHETER

AMENDMENT

ASST. COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows: